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ANCDF manager receives environmental justice award

Timothy K. Garrett, government site project manager at the Anniston Chemical Agent Disposal Facility, recently received the Johnnie Cochran Environmental Justice Award.

The award, presented by Citizens Against Pollution, recognized Garrett for his role in U.S. Army efforts to make Anniston and the surrounding areas safer through the safe disposal of chemical weapons. Since operations began in August 2003, ANCDF has safely destroyed more than 96,000 chemical weapons and more than 82,000 gallons of liquid GB (sarin) nerve agent.

David B. Baker Sr., executive director of the West Anniston citizens group, said Garrett was also recognized for supporting "our organization's struggle for environmental justice."

In accepting the award on behalf of the entire Anniston Chemical Activity, ANCDF and Westinghouse Anniston work force team, Garrett expressed his appreciation for CAP's continuous support of the safe disposal of chemical weapons.

CCAD excels in quality, performance

Corpus Christi Army Depot has excelled in four areas: quality, performance, Morale, Welfare and Recreation sponsored sports participation, and in community support during the past year, according to an audit recently conducted.

A five-member audit team inspected each aspect of the depot to evaluate procedures, quality and workmanship for conformance to ISO 9001-2000 standards. At the end of the audit period, the team reported that CCAD met and exceeded the standards without deficiencies.

"This statement is almost unheard of when auditing an organization of this size," said Col. Tim Sassenrath, CCAD commander. "This is a testimony of the work that you have done. You all deserve a pat on the back and a 'Job well done!'"

A calculation of scheduled performance and productive man hour performance for fiscal year 2005, reveals that CCAD employees covered by a bargaining unit will again be receiving a cash award. Preliminary calculations indicate that this might be the best performance year in the history of the depot.

CCAD employees participating in Navy Region South MWR sports activities also excelled. The employees recently won the Championship Trophy at the annual Navy Region South Sports Day. Activities included tennis, softball, flag football, and horseshoe, dominoes, and dart tournaments. Additionally, CCAD employees participating in the annual Captain's Cup Sports Events from spring through fall seasons, also took the Captain's Cup trophy.

The annual Combined Federal Campaign of the United Way of the Coastal Bend finished the campaign with more than \$313,000—130 percent of CCAD's goal for the 2005-2006 campaign, in employee contributions. Forty-six employees contributed more than \$1,000 each, putting them in the Eagle category and making this the highest number in the history of the CCAD CFC campaign.

Did you know ...

Corpus Christi Army Depot is the Department of Defense's premier facility for aviation repair. Presently, the depot workforce is focused on an important mission for the UH-60 Black Hawk that goes beyond repair – they are recapitalizing the Black Hawk fleet. The fleet is the frontline utility helicopter for the Army and was fielded in 1978.

The recapitalization program involves rebuilding and upgrading currently fielded systems to ensure operational readiness and a "zero-time/zero-mile" system. The rebuild consists of restoring systems to like-new condition in appearance, performance, and life expectancy and inserting new technology to improve reliability and maintainability.